

Understanding MYP Grading and Navigating ManageBac

The MYP Coordinator has created several videos to help students and the community understand how grading is implemented in the Middle Years Programme at Meridian. This is an endeavor that we recognize will take time and effort to fully understand. If you still have questions after watching the videos, please contact the MYP Coordinator, Kimberly Ogo at kimberly.ogo@mwschool.org.

What is SBG and IB Grading?

 MYP Grading Explained Video.mp4

 Understanding MYP Grades in Skyward

 MYP Conversion Chart

Digging deeper into MYP Rubrics and how Formative/Summative assessments factor into SBG

 Explaining MYP Rubrics.mp4

How to Navigate ManageBac as a Parent or a Student

 Parent ManageBac Navigation.mp4

 Student ManageBac Navigation.mp4

Check out the updated [Secondary Grading Practices](#). This is for 6th-12th grade levels. The IB coordinators presented [this slide deck](#) and recorded a webinar explaining the purpose for any changes. Check out the [video of the live recording](#).

Inaccurate Skyward MYP Low Grade Notifications

The default low grade notifications in Skyward are inaccurate for MYP's 0-8 scale. For example, a 4 out of 8 is being associated with 50%. The MYP 0-8 is **NOT** converted to a percentage. The percentage for the quarter grades comes from the 1-7 IB scale which will reflect a higher grade than the notification.

To resolve this, you can set the low grade threshold to 25, which would equate to a 2 on the 0-8 scale. Consistent 2s or lower on assignments will result in a failing percentage for the quarter.

However, if you have both MYP and DP students, adjusting the threshold will affect all of your students. That may result in missing failing grade notifications for DP students whose grades are on a different grading scale. In that case, the threshold may stay at a 70 with understanding that for your MYP students, a 4 or higher consistently on assignments will result in a passing percentage for the quarter. The notification alert for such assignment may need to be disregarded.

[See how to change threshold settings](#)

If you are still not connected with your student's account on ManageBac, [please complete this form](#). We will add you to the platform and you'll receive a welcome email from ManageBac – please check your spam in case it gets rerouted! We'll do our best to get you into the system by the following week from the date submitted. Thank you!

Once you have completed the parent access form, you may log into the [Meridian ManageBac portal here](#).